WHEREAS, South Dakota, long known for its excellent health care, is one of the lowest in the nation in the proportion of breastfed babies; and,

WHEREAS, breastfeeding provides nature's way to fulfill the baby's emotional and physical needs, resulting in better health and environment, directly or indirectly concerning all citizens of this State; and,

WHEREAS, The State of South Dakota wishes to recognize the importance and enhancement of the mother and her breastfeeding child relationship; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota La Leche League groups will be holding their first annual convention on May 3, 1975, in Pierre:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of April 26 - May 3, 1975, as

THE WEEK OF THE BREASTFED BABY

in South Dakota, in acknowledgement of those who speak for the babies of today--our world citizens of tomorrow.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 18th day of April, In the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Five

Richard F. Kneip

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Lorna Bluson

Assistant

LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA - BUREAU OF ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF RECORDS MANAGEMENT - CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY

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